

# The Daily Courant.

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Rome, Sept. 15.

**T**HE Marquis Ruspoli appear'd on Sunday last at the Head of his Regiment on Monte Cavallo, and alighting went with all his Officers into the Palace: He was introduc'd by Cardinal Ottoboni to the Pope, who gave him a very favourable Reception. 600 Soldiers from Avignon are landed at Ripa, which were brought by the Pope's Gallies to Finimicino. The new Levies continue to march, part towards the Frontiers of Naples, the rest towards Paenza. 'Tis the publick Talk that a Marriage is concluded between the Cardinal de Medicis and the Second Daughter of the Duke de Guastalla, and that the Cardinal will quit his Dignity in November. We have a sufficient Confirmation of the Reduction of the Island of Sardinia to the Obedience of King Charles III. We have the following Account from China.

The Cardinal de Tournon, Patriarch of Antiochia, sent by the Pope with the Commission of Legate a Latere into China, arriv'd there in April 1705; and was at first well receiv'd and favourably entertain'd by the Emperour.

Before he came to Court, Father Vitellon, (one of the French Jesuites who has been above 20 Years in that Kingdom, and whom the Fathers of that Society have prais'd in their printed Pieces, as one of the best Skill'd among them in the Chinese Language,) came to him, and openly declar'd himself in Favour of the Ordinance of the Bishops of France against the Proceedings of that Society.

This Cardinal de Tournon, Minister of the holy See, forbid the Jesuites of Pekin to put up in the new Church they were building, a Picture having this Inscription *Adore Heaven*; and being urg'd by the Emperour's Officers to have more Complaisance, he declar'd (according to the Account of the Jesuites) that he would sooner lose his Head, than consent that the Word *Heaven* should be made Use of to signify the true God.

The Emperour being inform'd that the said Cardinal oppos'd the Superstitious Usages of the Empire, which the Jesuites maintain'd, espous'd the Superstitions and Interest of the Jesuites: The Cardinal was dismiss'd the Court, and treated unworthily.

The Bishop of Conon, Doctor of the House of Sorbonne and Apostolical Vicar of one of the Provinces of China, opposing the said Superstitions, was confin'd as a Prisoner, by Order of the Emperour, in the House of the Jesuites at Pekin; where he remain'd 4 Months, till he was banish'd out of the Empire, with a Prohibition ever to return thither. In the same Sentence of Banishment was included M. de Mezzafalce an Italian, Vicar of another Province of China. They were both sent Prisoners together to Macao, where they embark'd on an English Ship, which carry'd them to Ireland in April 1708.

At the Time they left China, there came into the Provinces an Order from the Emperour, which enjoy'd the Missionaries, to make their Appearance at Court, to Petition in Writing for Permission to stay in the Empire; Which Permission was not to be granted to them, but on Condition that they should not teach any other Doctrine contrary to that receiv'd in the Empire, or to its Customs. The Jesuites add in their own Relations, that the Emperour had said he would expell all those who should oppose one single Point of the Doctrine of Confucius. The foremention'd Order concerns not only the present Missionaries; but also all those who hereafter may come into China.

The Cardinal de Tournon being consulted what ought to be done on this Occasion, answer'd, that

when the Missionaries should appear before the Emperour, or before his Ministers, 'twas their Duty to declare, that the Practice of the Jesuites was condemn'd by the holy See; and that if they might not be permitted to continue in China, unless on Condition to conform to that Practice, they must submit to be expell'd.

The said Cardinal was in China in the Month of March 1707; but the Jesuites have reported within these few Days that he is arriv'd in Ireland.

Venice, Sept. 21. We have Advice, that 400 of the Duke of Modena's Soldiers have enter'd Mantua, whence a Party of the German Garrison is gone to joyn the Troops in the Ferrareze. General Boneval who is at Comacchio, expects these Reinforcements and other Succours from Piemont, to maintain himself in that Post, and in that of Magnavacca. The Germans have been forc'd by the Pope's Subjects to retire from Diamantina and Mesola; and 3 Companies of the Pope's Infantry are posted at Bordenò, where they fortify themselves, expecting the Arrival of General Marsigli.

Falmouth, Sept. 27. Yesterday put in here the True Love of Lyme with Salt for this Place, and the two Brothers, of and from Zurikzee for Oporto, Francis Bolt Master, and the Eagle Galley of and from London for Plymouth, Barker Tillet Commander. Sail'd the Mary Galley Robert Harris Commander, with Fish for Barcelona. This Day sail'd her Majesty's Ship the Dover, with the West-India Ships formerly mention'd, and Tyn Vessels.

Plymouth, Sept. 28. The 26th in the Night her Majesty's Ship the Plymouth sail'd for Ireland, and under her Convoy the Benjamin of London, Charles Richards Master, and a Dutch Dogger. This Day came in the Constantia of and from Stockholm, Peter Lem Master, with Pitch, Tar, and Iron for this Dock.

Shields, Sept. 28. Since my last there is above 100 Sail more of laden Colliers sail'd from this Port; part for the Coast, the rest for London, under Convoy of her Majesty's Ships the Solebay and Lynn. There is but few Ships now left in this Harbour.

Yarmouth, Sept. 27. On Saturday last came into this Road the Hope of and from Longfoud in Norway, Laurence Christopherson Master, with Deals and Rafts for this Place; and this Day pass'd through to the Southward about 60 Sail of laden Colliers and Coasters under Convoy of 2 Men of War; and this Day also came into the Road the St. Laurence, Kele Paulson Master, for this Place with Deals; and here is about 16 light Ships in the Road.

Portsmouth, Sept. 30. Last Night sail'd from Spithead for the River of Thames, a Hamborough Man of War. Two Regiments of Soldiers are Shipp'd off for Ostend, and go over under Convoy of the Montague and Swallow Prize, which 'tis thought will sail this Day. Sir John Jennings in the St. George is came out of Portsmouth Harbour to Spithead. The Queen of Portugal is on Shore here, waiting for a fair Wind.

Harwich, Sept. 30. On Tuesday the Eagle Pacquet-Boat came in with the Mail from Holland. Yesterday the Merlin Sloop went hence with an Express for the Fleet that was gone from Hovey Bay. Came in the Tarrar Man of War from the Northward. The Marlborough Pacquet-Boat is sail'd hence with the Mail for Holland, &c.

Deal, Sept. 30. Wind North. Here continue her Majesty's Ships the Medway, Pembroke, Sunderland, Edinbourg, Pearl, Queenborough, and Vulcan Fireship: And Yesterday came down 2 Ships for Lisbon, and 3 or 4 Store-Ships for Ostend, and several Coasters.

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**By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.**

**At the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane,**  
this present Saturday, being the 2d of October, will be presented a Play call'd, *The Spanish Fryar*; or, *The Double Discovery*. The part of Elvira by Mrs. Oldfield, being the first time of her Acting since June last. And the parts of Toribio and Mr. Thurmond, Lorenzo by Mr. Bickerstaffe, Raymond by Mr. Keene, Gomez by Mr. Johnson, Dominick the Fryar by Mr. Liegh, Leonora by Mrs. Knight, Teresa by Mrs. Finch. And all the other parts to the best Advantage.

This Play is sold by J. Knapp at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and at Little's near Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

**Whereas a Female Child** about a Year old was lost in St. Helen's Parish the 27th of September last, about 7 or 8 a Clock in the Evening, if any Person will discover the Mother of the said Child, or those who left it in the said Parish, so as they may be apprehended, the Church Wardens of the said Parish do hereby promise to pay unto such discoverer the Sum of 40 s.

**Whereas on the 17th of August last a Male Infant** about 12 Day old was laid in the Porch of the Green Dragon Ale-house, in the Parish of South Mimms, Middlesex, who ever shall give notice to Mr. Nathaniel Ross, Church-Warden of the said Parish, who are the Parents of the said Child, or in what Parish the said Child was born, so as the Parish of South-Mimms may be cleared of the said Child, shall receive a Guinea Reward.

**Lost on Thursday Night last, between the Leg-Tavern in Fleet-street and Clifford-Lane, a Parcel of Letters** of no use to any but the Person to whom directed. Whoever brings the said Parcel of Letters to the Leg Tavern aforesaid, shall receive 5 s. Reward.



**At the Eagle and Child** in Fleet-street, near Shoe-Lane, are to be seen 2 Girls about 3 Years old, who are one of the greatest Wonders in Nature that ever was seen, being Born with their Backs fasten'd to each other, and the Passages of their Bodies are both one way. They are handsome and lusty, and talk 3 different Languages, can Walk, sit down, and carry one another on the Neck. Their Names are Helen and Judith, the former was Born 3 Hours before

her Sister. They are to be seen no longer than this Month of October for 6 d. a piece, if any Person desires to see them privately 2 s.

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**Whereas in the Postman of the 18th Instant there** was an Advertisement, that an English Translation of Dr. Fuller's *Thermaceutica Extemporanea*, &c. is preparing for the Press; This is to give notice that the said Translation is altogether Spurious and Superstitious, and undertaken without the Privy and against the Consent of the Doctor, who being truly sensible of the Injury design'd both to himself and the Proprietor of the Copy, hath with his own Hand carefully Transcrib'd, Corrected, and much Improv'd the same; to be sold by B. Wallford at the Prince's Arms in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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